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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
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In Re Application Of: Nippon Shokubai Co., Ltd.

Serial No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Group Art Unit
09/745,896	December 21, 2000	MANOHARAN, Virginia	1764

Invention: Method For Purification Of Acrylic Acid

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 01/15/2004 of the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

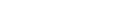
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